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Dear Miss Kann,

I am very sorry that those cultures were lost. My enquiries at the post-office were unsuccessful, so I shall send you a duplicate set immediately. Please let me know whether or when you receive them.

The reprints you asked for are in the mails.

Dr. Luria and I did not have very much time together at Minneapolis, and the only mutants to which he referred, in my recollection, were a set of purineless types.

I will, ofccourse, be glad to hear of your results, especially if they upset an applecart or two.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg
Assistant Professor of Genetics.